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#### FRATERNAL MEETINGS

Passumpsic Lodge, No. 27, F. & A. M.  
Regular Communication Thursday evening, May 27.

DAVID R. COLB, Secretary.  
Haswell Royal Arch Chapter, No. 11.  
Stated Convocation Friday evening, May 28.

FRED M. HUMPHREY, E. H. P.  
FRED G. MOORE, Secretary.

Palatine Commandery, No. 5, K. T.  
Stated Conclave Tuesday evening, May 25.

ELWIN A. SILSBY, Em. Commander.  
EARL D. EVANS, Recorder.

Knights of Pythias.  
Regular Convention of Apollo Lodge No. 2, Tuesday evening, May 18.  
D. H. HARLOW, C. C.  
H. E. ANDERSON, K. R. S.

The Museum of Natural Science.  
Open week days 9-12 A. M., 1-4 P. M.  
Sundays 2:30 to 5 P. M.  
All visitors welcomed.

St. Johnsbury Athenaeum.

LIBRARY READING ROOM ART GALLERY  
9 o'clock to 9 o'clock each week day, Wednesday evenings excepted.  
3 o'clock to 5 o'clock Sundays.  
All are invited.

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#### LOCAL NOTICES

(Notices will be inserted in this column in reading matter type at the rate of ten cents a line for the first insertion and five cents a line for subsequent insertions of the same copy.)

The ladies of the Universalist church are busy preparing for their spring sale to be held May 20. In addition to the usual attractions they are planning to have a booth of Larkin products also to serve supper.

Remember the card party under the auspices of the Club House Association Thursday evening, the 13th, at Pythian Hall at 8 o'clock. Tables will be provided for all and those wishing to secure one or more may do so by applying to Mrs. George Cary, 96 1/2 Main street, telephone 446-5. All are most cordially invited to attend and thus assist toward the support of one of our most deserving philanthropic local institutions. Price 50 each, \$1 per couple.

The ladies of the First Baptist church will serve a dandelion greens supper in the church vestry Thursday, May 13, from 5:30 until 8 o'clock. Menu:

Dandelion Greens Potatoes  
Salads Rolls Cakes  
Fancy Puddings Doughnuts Coffee  
Esmeralda

Under the direction of Miss Madeline Randall, the comedy drama "Esmeralda" will be enacted Friday evening May 31, at Colonial Theater with the following cast:

Elbert Rogers Mr. Cain  
Mrs. Rogers Miss Brownell  
Esmeralda Rogers Miss McCray  
Dave Hardy Mr. Brodien  
Mr. Estabrook Mr. Campbell  
Jack Desmond Mr. Ellis  
Nora Desmond Miss Braloy  
Kate Desmond Miss Pierce  
Marquis De Montessin

George Drew Mr. Remillard  
Sophie Mr. Hill  
Music by Juvenile orchestra.

All tickets 25 cents.

By a law passed in 1912 the teachers of the state are supposed to raise \$10,000 a year toward the state retirement fund. St. Johnsbury teachers have contributed their apportionment the past two years. Help them to do so again.

Price 20 cents.

Tom Thumb Wedding.

Next Friday evening at the Colonial Theater, the Grace Unity Club

#### I. C. T. PILGRIMAGE

St. Johnsbury Council to Attend Annual Gathering in Burlington—Planning Big Parade.

One of the live organizations of this village expects to do a little advertising for St. Johnsbury that will attract some attention across Vermont and in many sections of New England. It is St. Johnsbury Council, No. 240, U. C. T. on its tour to the annual convention of Grand Council of New England to be held in Burlington, June 3, 4 and 5. St. Johnsbury band will be taken there by the council and 75 men and 50 ladies have indicated their intention of going as representatives of the local council. Thirty automobiles have been engaged to transport the party. The entire fifth floor of Hotel Vermont and 23 rooms in the Van Ness have been engaged for the party in Burlington while the band will be located at another hotel.

The automobiles will all carry banners with the words "St. Johnsbury No. 240, U. C. T." which will tell what town is traveling that day, Thursday, June 3, being the day for going over. For the grand parade arranged for Saturday the St. Johnsbury band will be in readiness and all the St. Johnsbury party will be arrayed in white uniforms, white caps with black visors, suits trimmed with gold and on the coat lapels a badge St. J. and on the coat sleeves the letters U. C. T. They will also carry canes with St. Johnsbury banners. The members of the council who have been making the arrangements expect that St. Johnsbury will attract a great deal of attention as the result of its striking appearance.

will present a "Tom Thumb Wedding" for the benefit of the building fund of the new Methodist church. This will be a dainty, up-to-date affair, with nearly seventy-five children taking part. All of the boys will wear dress suits, and the girls will imitate their grown-up sisters in all their wedding finery. A large number of people of national reputation, besides many local celebrities will be represented among the Lilliputian guests. Following the ceremony, there will be an artists' concert, with children representing well-known operatic stars taking part. Admission 25 and 35 cents. Special matinee for children Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Admission for children 15 cents, adults 25 cents.

Our carload of seed corn has just arrived and is now ready for delivery. A. E. Counsell & Son.

Auto hack service, day and night. Call Bertrand Hall, 54-M.

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Save Friday, May 21, for "Esmeralda," given by St. Johnsbury teachers, at Colonial Theater for benefit of the State Teachers' Retirement fund.

The Searchlight Club of the South church will give the operetta "The Japanese Girl" on Tuesday, May 18. Please reserve date for this occasion.

Autos and auto livery. Cars rented without drivers or with experienced drivers, from 15 to 20 cents a mile. C. E. Kirk.

Get a package of Cedar Lavender Compound at Searles' Drug Store and preserve your furs and flannels.

The ladies of St. Andrew's church will hold their annual May luncheon, sale and supper on Friday, May 7, at Pythian Hall.

#### IS 79 YEARS OLD TODAY

Townpeople To Give Reception to Rev. Edward T. Fairbanks This Evening.

The Rev. Edward T. Fairbanks, librarian, town historian and for many years one of the best loved citizens of St. Johnsbury, is 79 years old today. He had planned no special observance of the event but several of his townspeople feeling that the opportunity for greeting him on his birthday was passing and desiring to show him something of the appreciation they feel for him and his work in the town history asked him to be at the Museum at 8:30 this evening to meet his friends and neighbors.

The reception will be quite informal and is open to every citizen of the town and their families. It is desired that all the people take this opportunity to meet the man who has given so much of his life work to the service of his town and who has been spared to enjoy a ripe old age among an increasing host of friends. You are invited to be at the Museum this evening at 8:30.

#### AUTOMOBILISTS APPEAL

Refuse to Pay Fine For Over-Speeding Within the Village Limits.

In an attempt to secure more careful driving on the part of automobilists, R. E. French and Dana Clark were taken before Judge Frye on complaint by Police Officer Wallace last Friday charged with over-speeding their automobiles within the village limits on the evening of April 30. The two pleaded not guilty, were given a hearing, pronounced guilty by Judge Frye and a fine of \$1 and costs imposed. They then appealed to the county court. States Attorney Norton prosecuted and David E. Porter defended.

The state produced as witnesses Officer Wallace, who said he was crossing Main street at the head of Eastern Avenue on the evening of April 30 and saw the two automobiles coming down Main street at high speed. He attempted to stop

the machines but was obliged to run to escape being run over. C. M. Berry, Harry Demick, John Brown and P. F. Craft were also called and testified that the autos were being run at a rate of from 25 to 35 miles an hour.

Messrs. French and Clark testified that they were running from 15 to 20 miles an hour, Mr. Clark claiming that a Ford car could not be run over 30 miles an hour. The state called M. C. Garfield, who testified he had run his Ford car at the rate of 40 miles an hour. The main defense is that the two men were not running their cars in a negligent or dangerous manner and that the rate of speed does not determine the negligence or danger of the operation of the car.

#### Officers Haswell Royal Arch Chapter

Haswell Royal Arch Chapter, No. 11, at its annual convocation April 30, elected officers as follows: Raymond H. Pearl, E. H. P.; Herbert A. Lougee, king; Earl D. Evans, scribe; Charles A. Calderwood, treasurer; Fred G. Moore, secretary; Birney L. Hall, C. of H.; George R. Bollinger, P. S.; Russell E. Lowrey, R. A. C.; A. Dana Clark, M. of 3rd V.; Osmer A. Ulrich, M. of 2nd V.; Homer Carpenter, M. of 1st V.; Edwin L. Spencer, chaplain; R. G. Cheney, William A. Brown, stewards; C. M. Berry, sentinel.

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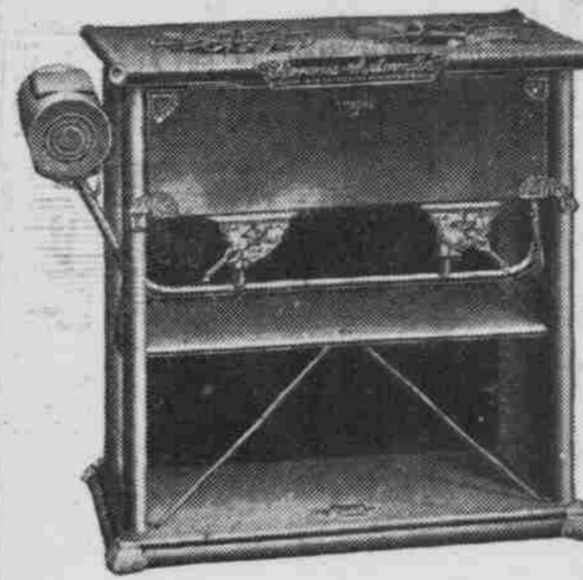
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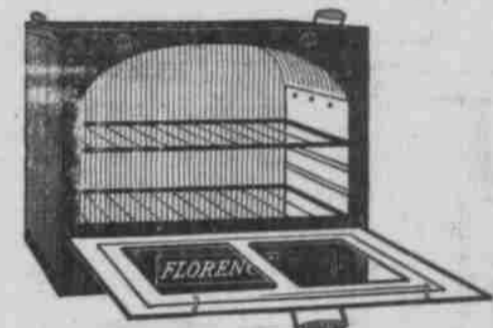
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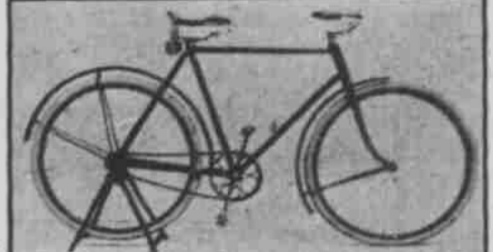


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